Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi  
President of the Senate  
Twenty-Ninth State Legislature  
First Special Session of 2017  
State of Hawaii

Sir:

Your Committee on Labor, to which was referred Governor's Message Nos. 59 and 60, submitting for study and consideration the nominations of:

**HAWAI'I LABOR RELATIONS BOARD**

- **G.M. No. 59**  MARCUS OSHIRO,  
  for a term to expire 06-30-2018; and

- **G.M. No. 60**  MARCUS OSHIRO,  
  for a term to expire 06-30-2024,

begs leave to report as follows:

Your Committee has reviewed the personal history, resume, and statement submitted by the nominee and finds Marcus Oshiro to possess the requisite qualifications to be nominated to the Hawai'i Labor Relations Board.

Your Committee received testimony in support of the nomination for the appointment and reappointment of Marcus Oshiro from the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations; Department of Transportation; United Public Workers, AFSCME, Local 646, AFL-CIO; State of Hawaii Organization of Police Officers; ILWU Local 142; Hawaii Government Employees Association, AFSCME Local 152, AFL-CIO; General Contractors Association of Hawaii; Chamber of Commerce Hawaii; Hawaii State Teachers Association; University of Hawaii Professional Assembly; Ralph S. Inouye Co., Ltd.; and twelve individuals.
Upon review of the testimony, your Committee finds that Mr. Oshiro's professional experience and background in government qualify him to be nominated for appointment and reappointment as Chairperson of, and Representative of the Public to, the Hawai‘i Labor Relations Board. Mr. Oshiro is an attorney and has served in the House of Representatives for over two decades, including time serving as Chair of the Committee on Finance and as chair of committees with purviews over labor and public employment matters. In 2011, he also served as the Chair of the Council of State Governments (CSG)-WEST at its annual meeting in Honolulu. Mr. Oshiro is also a member of the Hawaii State Bar Association, Hawaiian Civic Club of Wahiawa, Gushikawa Shojin Kai, Wahiawa Lions Club, and Wahiawa Community and Business Association. Based on his knowledge, experience, and commitment to public service, your Committee finds that Mr. Oshiro will be an asset to the Hawai‘i Labor Relations Board.

As affirmed by the records of votes of the members of your Committee on Labor that is attached to this report, your Committee, after full consideration of the background, experience, and qualifications of the nominee, has found the nominee to be qualified for the positions to which nominated and recommends that the Senate advise and consent to the nomination.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee on Labor,

JILL N. TOKUDA, Chair
The Senate  
Twenty-Ninth Legislature  
State of Hawai‘i  

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